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AN ACT EXPANDING WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE
FOR POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS INJURIES FOR ALL EMPLOYEES.

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact:

Agency Affected	Fund-Effect	FY 24 \$	FY 25 \$
Department of Administrative Services - Workers' Comp. Claims	App Fund - Potential Cost	See Below	See Below

Note: App Fund=All Appropriated Funds

Municipal Impact:

Municipalities	Effect	FY 24 \$	FY 25 \$
Various Municipalities	STATE MANDATE ¹ - Potential Cost	See Below	See Below

Explanation

The bill will result in a potential cost to the Department of Administrative Services – Worker’s Compensation Claims and various self-insured municipalities beginning in FY 24 to the extent qualified personnel apply for workers’ compensation benefits due to the expanded population eligible for such benefits due to post-traumatic stress injuries.

¹ State mandate is defined in Sec. 2-32b(2) of the Connecticut General Statutes, "state mandate" means any state initiated constitutional, statutory or executive action that requires a local government to establish, expand or modify its activities in such a way as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenues.

The Out Years

The annualized ongoing fiscal impact identified above would continue into the future subject to inflation and the number of claims made.